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MR. HANNA'S newspapers have had no complaint to make about Grover Cleveland's financial policy since that policy was adopted in its entirety by the present Administration.

THE charge that Col. Dick is responsible for much of the spontaneous demand for a third candidate for governor is no surprise. Dick is always generous to reformers who put in most of their time trying to divide the reform forces at the polls. He placed Hanna's check book at the disposal of these men in 1897. Why shouldn't he do the same in 1899?

TOLEDO'S Councilmen, who appropriated \$3,000 to pay for a junketing trip to the Syracuse meeting of the Federation of American Municipalities, have been enjoined by a taxpayer from using the money for that purpose on the ground that it is a misapplication of public funds. As nearly every municipality in the country has been taxed to send its representatives to these conventions, the outcome of the Toledo suit will be awaited with interest.

#### JUDGE GRANT SUITS THEM.

HON. C. R. GRANT of Akron, a prominent silver Republican, is a candidate for the nomination for Judge of the Supreme court on the Democratic ticket. Every county in the Western Reserve and Northern Ohio should unite in giving this gentleman support in the convention. The party will go far, indeed, to find a man better qualified than Judge Grant to serve as Supreme Judge. Geauga county being in the same Congressional district as Summit, we can truthfully say that if Judge Grant gets the nomination he will secure many Republican votes in Geauga and Lake counties, where he is well known, and which no other candidate could secure on the Democratic ticket.

The Record wishes him success.—Gauga County Record.

#### A PRECARIOUS PEACE.

With a single stroke of his gallant pen the nominal editor has banished all manner of strife and dissension from Mr. Hanna's local camp. He has decreed that "there will be no divisions or factions in the Republican ranks this fall" and his word is law. He says that everything is "peace, peace" and that who says there is no peace is a "liar."

Park Alexander has consented to go into every school house in the county and make speeches in behalf of the election of Judge Anderson and Clark Hershey. Besides, Park has retracted everything he wrote or said about his good friend, Aaron Teeple, and Aaron, also recanting, is very sorry that he asked Park to name a single act, done in his 30 years in office, that is "at present worth repeating."

Col. Sanford regrets that he called his rival, Prof. Seese, a bolter, and the Professor has forgiven Hank on condition that he doesn't refer to it again.

Col. Dick acknowledges that he erred when, shortly after the Painesville convention, he charged Senator Alexander and his friends with having fought him in local politics for the last 25 years.

Senator Alexander has promised to forget all about how Summit county's Republican office holders went to Columbus a year ago, and, by means of money and influence, defeated the Russell Salary Bill, which would have saved the people of this county \$80,000 a year had it been passed. He has no recollection of having said to the lobbyists, above mentioned, that their selfish opposition to the bill would defeat them when they should come before the people for re-election.

And to cap the climax of this glorious era of peace the Third ward Senator has destroyed every broken pledge given to him by delegates prior to the Painesville convention; he is willing to say that he was treated very fairly in that convention, and, even if he wasn't, it makes no great difference, as he did not want the nomination anyhow.

All this and more has been accomplished in a single day by the conciliating genius of the nominal editor. The quarrelsome factions have disbanded and their leaders have fallen on one another's necks, weeping. The DEMOCRAT, which is

charged with provoking all previous strife in the local ranks, has been seized upon as a scapegoat and sent into the wilderness as a peace-offering to the reunited hosts.

Yet one thing remains to be done: Have Senator Alexander make a public statement that Judge Anderson's system of governing Akron by proxy is the highest and most intelligent type of local government that could be devised, and it will be all off with the Democrats in Ohio.

### PECULIAR

#### Conduct of a Strange Old Man.

**Purchased Ticket For Corpse—Was Daughter of Minister.**

Rev. John F. Henkle, who is mentioned in the following special from Washington C. H., is well known in Akron. He has occupied the pulpits of Methodist churches in this city on various occasions. It reads:

Rev. J. F. Henkle, ex-president of the Ohio Methodist Protestant conference, had a peculiar experience at Columbus today.

His family was en route from Lewiston, O., to Washington C. H. with the remains of their little daughter Evelyn. At Columbus the corpse was left in charge of the baggage department while the friends went up town to get their dinners. An unknown, seedy-looking old man approached the door of the baggage wagon and told the driver the box was his, that his name was Henkle, and that he wanted the corpse sent to Pataskala, O., instead of Washington C. H.

The driver notified the baggage-master of the desired change in the consignment, and Washington C. H. was erased from the box and Pataskala substituted. The stranger purchased a corpse ticket to Pataskala, and when Rev. Henkle arrived at the depot the old man was waiting for the train, and had he not arrived just when he did the remains of his little daughter would have been shipped to Pataskala.

Rev. Henkle soon convinced the baggage-master of the mistake. The stranger then said that he did not know there was a corpse in the box and that he was looking for no corpse. He acted strangely and soon disappeared. The object of these unusual actions is a mystery.

#### DEATHS.

SMITH—Miss Matilda Smith, 606 E. Exchange st., aged 83 years, died Thursday evening, August 3, of old age. The body was sent to Paris, Stark county, Friday for burial.

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### TOWNS DEMOLISHED.

**Fearful Destruction by a Storm In Florida.**

ONE PERSON KILLED, 15 MISSING.

The Loss of Life May Have Been Much Greater—Docks Swept Away at Carrabelle and Vessels Lost—Visitors to Resorts Suffered Hardships.

TALLAHASSEE, Fla., Aug. 4.—The first train in since Monday from Carrabelle, through the storm-stricken Gulf coast section, reached here and the passengers agreed that the reports sent out of the destruction wrought by the storm had been extremely moderate.

Carrabelle is literally wiped out from the map. Her docks and wharves, containing about 400,000 feet of lumber and 50,000 barrels of resin, were quickly swept away. Thirteen or 14 large lumber vessels in the bay were swept ashore and are now lying well up on dry land.

These vessels contained several million feet of lumber. No information is obtainable as to the loss of life from these vessels or the large fleet of fishing boats in the neighborhood. Only two or three huts are left standing in Carrabelle, and one colored woman is known to have been killed by the falling of a house.

Citizens of Carrabelle are in a state of wild confusion and are flocking in every direction for relief.

The towns of McIntyre and Curtis were completely demolished, and large interests have been destroyed. The coast resorts, Teresa and Lanark, were more seriously wrecked than at first reported, and visitors have suffered great hardships, though no loss of life was known.

Fifteen men said to have been seen fishing on an islet, called Dog Island, just before the storm broke, cannot be found.

#### ARTHUR IGNORES BOYCOTT.

The Labor Leader Rode on Street Cars, at Cleveland—Another Day's Outrage.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 4.—Grand Chief P. M. Arthur of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers was reported to the strikers for riding on Big Consolidated cars in disregard of the boycott. When asked if he patronized the Big Consolidated cars, Chief Arthur replied:

"Of course I do. I ride on them every day and whenever I have occasion to do so."

"Why do you do it?" he was asked.

"Why?" was the reply. "Do you suppose I am going to walk three miles down town when the cars pass my door? Of course I am not. This agitation and the boycott are utterly ridiculous, and the strikers have gone altogether too far."

The director of police said that officers would be instructed to arrest, on the charge of disorderly conduct, all persons who annoy passengers of the Big Consolidated cars by calling names or following them to their homes to ascertain where they live and who they are for the purpose of bringing them under the boycott.

The withdrawal of several companies of troops was followed by another dynamite outrage, but fortunately nobody was hurt. The explosion occurred under a Jennings avenue car, on which there were six passengers. It smashed the flange of one of the wheels and splintered the running board at the side. The passengers were badly frightened, but none were injured, and the car proceeded on its way to the end of the run.

### BRUTAL.

#### Ruhlin-Lawler Fight.

#### Mayor of Denver Declares That It Was.

**Refused to Issue For Future Contests.**

**Akron Horses Were Unplaced at Youngstown.**

**Organizing Consulate in Akron—Sporting News.**

The Ruhlin-Lawler fight at Denver seems to have made a lasting impression on the Mayor of that city.

A special from that city says: Mayor Johnson has vetoed the ordinance placing the license for athletic clubs which conduct sparring contests at \$1,500. In his message the Mayor said: "I am unwilling to approve an ordinance which would make it possible to have repeated in Denver such a brutal contest as was witnessed in this city about one week ago at one of these so-called athletic associations." It is not likely the ordinance can be passed over the veto.

Unplaced.

C. M. Oberlin's pacer "Lady Print" finished fifth in the 2:30 pace at Youngstown, Thursday. The race was won by Billy George. Best time 2:22 1/2. Laura Bachus, owned by E. J. Viall, was seventh in the 2:25 trot, which is unfinished. Wilbor has won two heats. Irene Wilton and Joe Green, each one. Best time 2:23 1/2.

L. A. W. Consulates.

Chairman E. L. Ferguson, of the Ohio local organization committee, is now at work organizing consulates in Fremont, Akron and Marietta.

Winners.

The Young West Ends were defeated Thursday by the Red Stars. The winners batted as follows: A. Friedman, c.; Twinham II, Willy 2b; Zarley 3b; Pfeiffer ss; Mahoney p; Gable rf; Gregorio lf; E. Friedman cf.

Major Taylor, the colored professional cyclist, rode a mile, paced by a steam motor, at the Garfield park Chicago, Thursday in the phenomenal time of 1:22 2/5, thereby beating the world's record by five and three-fifths seconds. First quarter was made in :20 1/5, half :39 2/5 and three-quarters :59 3/5. Taylor's performance is the more remarkable in that it was not aided by windshields or any other device, being simply a straight away paced race. The Garfield track is a half mile in circumference.

Championship Game.

The Akrons and North Hills will play for a purse of \$25 and the championship of the city on the Buchtel college grounds Saturday afternoon. The game will be called at 3 o'clock standard time. The teams will bat as follows:

Akrons—Brownell, c.; Hallinan, lb.; McNamara, 2b.; Stevens, cf.; Brewster, ss.; Feddersen, rf.; McShaffery, lf.; Gillely, 3b.; Morgan and Watts, p.

North Ends—Bedur, 3b.; Krolmer, c.; Krolmer, ss.; Cassidy, rf.; McBurney, lf.; Strapp, 2b.; Tuholsky; cf.; Schultz, lb.; Ruble or Heisler, p.; Trommer, sub.

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#### RECOMMENDED BY HANNA.

Reason a Firm Was Objected to, So a Mael Witness Stated.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—The session of the Mael committee was largely given over to the examination of Francis T. Lantry, commissioner of correction, as to the methods adopted by the now famous architectural firm of Horgan & Slattery in their dealings with the department of correction.

Nothing sensational was elicited, though the interesting fact was brought out that one of the witnesses' objections to the employment of Withers & Dickson, the architects, was that United States Senator Hanna had written letters recommending an Ohio iron company which they represented. A number of the members of the municipal council appeared before the Mael committee and explained their views upon questions relating to the double municipal assembly. There was a wide difference of opinion among them as to the value of the second house.

#### Wouldn't License Prizefight Clubs.

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No U. S. Consulate in Porto Rico.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—Philip C. Hanna, former United States consul at Porto Rico, was a passenger per steamer Aradia from San Juan, Porto Rico. With his departure from Porto Rico the office of consul to that country has been abolished.

## A. Polsky

AUGUST is known to be the dulllest month, but not intending to have it so with us this year, we have decided to offer SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS not only on SUMMER GOODS but STAPLES also, throughout the entire month. Read carefully our prices for the coming week.

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| 15c Fancy toweling  | at 12 1/2c       |
| 5c Towels   | at 3c            |
| 8c Turkish towels   | at 5c            |
| 15c Honeycomb towels  | at 10c           |
| 18c Turkish towels, extra size  | at 12 1/2c       |
| 20c All linen German towels   | at 15c           |
| 35c All linen towels  | at 29c           |
| 30c Turkey red table damask   | at 25c           |
| 38c Turkey red table damask   | at 29c           |
| 45c Best red table damask, plaid or figured, fast colors  | at 35c           |
| 29c Half bleached table linen, all linen  | at 19c           |
| 35c Half bleached table linen, all linen  | at 29c           |
| 75c Half bleached double damask, 2 yards wide   | at 50c           |
| 35c Bleached damask, 58 inches wide   | at 29c           |
| 68c Bleached table linen, 62 inches wide  | at 50c           |
| \$1.20 Bleached table linen, all linen, 70 inches wide  | at 75c           |
| \$1.10 Bleached table linen, all linen, 72 inches wide  | at 90c           |
| \$1.50 Bleached table linen, all linen, 72 inches wide  | at \$1.25        |
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| \$1.00 Bedspreads   | at 89c           |
| \$1.20 Bedspreads   | at \$1.00        |
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59c Trimmed drawers	at 48c
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